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What to Do Now That You’ve Been Admitted

1. COMPLETE THE RESPONSE FORM AND SUBMIT YOUR DEPOSIT
   Ready to enroll this fall? Log in to your application status page (du.edu/app-status) and fill out your admission response form. You will then be able to submit your deposit via credit card or checking account. If you would like to submit a check to our office, please make it payable to the University of Denver and include your full name and DU ID number. DU has a two-year live-on-campus requirement unless you are residing with a parent or guardian within a certain radius of campus. Your enrollment deposit is $500 and will be credited on your first tuition bill. Deadlines vary, so please check your admission letter and see page 7 for more housing details.

2. APPLY FOR FINANCIAL AID
   You have already been considered for merit scholarships and have been informed in your admission letter if we can award you one of these scholarships. If you completed the steps to apply for financial aid, you’ll soon receive a financial aid offer with additional information about financing your DU education. If you have not yet applied but would like to be considered for need-based aid, please submit both the CSS Profile and FAFSA as soon as possible. For more information, contact Financial Aid at finaid@du.edu, 303-871-4020 or at du.edu/aid.

3. CONNECT WITH FUTURE CLASSMATES
   Join the online group for admitted students at du.edu/24-zeemee to find students from your hometown or those with similar interests. You might even discover your future roommate.

4. APPLY FOR HOUSING
   Complete and submit your housing application online at du.edu/app-housing. Your roommate and room assignment will be available to view in mid-July. You may also want to apply to an experiential learning community. Deadlines vary, so please check our website or refer to pages 8–11 in this brochure for more information.

5. CONSIDER YOUR PAYMENT OPTIONS
   To assist with budget management, DU offers the option of a quarterly payment plan (du.edu/payments). Each quarter plan has a nominal setup fee, and no credit check requirement.

6. SUBMIT YOUR FINAL TRANSCRIPTS
   Submit your final official high school transcripts and final official college transcripts (if you have any), as well as Advanced Placement (AP) scores, International Baccalaureate (IB) scores, or Advanced Level (A-Level) results. Your previous college-level courses will be considered on a course-by-course basis and may fulfill elements of the Common Curriculum, major/minor requirements or general electives. We will perform a detailed credit evaluation and email you detailed instructions for viewing this information on your Degree Audit prior to New Student Registration. For more information on our transfer policy, please refer to the Registrar’s website at du.edu/transcripts.

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Visit the DU campus. You can’t fully understand the beauty and energy of DU until you’ve experienced it for yourself. Explore our in-person and virtual options at du.edu/visits.
Options to Pay Your Out-of-Pocket Cost

Most students have a remaining balance after all merit and need-based financial aid is applied. You can help pay those costs with any combination of these options.

OUTSIDE SCHOLARSHIPS
Organizations of all types sponsor college scholarships, and there are many websites that make it easy to find the ones you qualify for. Get started with your search at du.edu/private-scholarships.

STUDENT EMPLOYMENT
Consider earning money through a part-time job, either through work-study (if included on your financial aid offer), or other positions on or off campus. Learn more at du.edu/student-employment.

PAYMENT PLANS
DU offers no-interest payment plans that split your amount due each quarter into two or three payments. More information is available through the Bursar’s Office website at du.edu/payments.

CREDIT-BASED LOANS
Many students and families who are seeking additional financing will consider a credit-based loan. Learn more at du.edu/loans.

OTHER OPTIONS
College Opportunity Fund: Colorado residents who were offered the Federal Pell Grant may be eligible for an additional $38.67/credit hour stipend. More information is available at du.edu/cof.

Veterans Education Benefits: If you will be using military or veteran’s education benefits, contact the Veterans Services Coordinator at 303-871-2074 or veterans@du.edu, or go to du.edu/veterans and du.edu/gibill.

College Savings Plans: For questions on how to use your college savings plan to pay your bill, contact the Bursar’s Office at 303-871-4944 or bursar@du.edu.

Out-of-Pocket Cost

For more information on the types of aid available or the application process, contact Financial Aid at 303-871-4020 or finaid@du.edu or go to du.edu/aid.

Understand Your Cost to Attend

If you applied for financial aid, you’ll soon receive a separate financial aid offer that will include all the aid you’re eligible to receive as well as additional information and resources to help you finance your DU education. Learn more about the financial aid application process at du.edu/aid-apply.

ESTIMATE YOUR BILL
Once you have your financial aid offer, use this short worksheet to estimate what your University of Denver bill might look like for 2024-2025. If you aren’t applying for financial aid, please use this worksheet to estimate your bill after applying the merit scholarship(s) offered in your admission letter.

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How to Apply for Financial Aid

If you already completed the steps to apply for financial aid by the priority deadline, refer to your financial aid offer and additional financial aid information included in this packet.

Otherwise, take the following steps:

1. **Submit the CSS Profile**

   Register for a College Board account at cssprofile.org. If you registered for the SAT online, you already have a College Board username and password. Use this username and password to access your profile registration. Complete the registration questions and select the University of Denver as your school.

   Our school code is 4842.

   After registration, complete the CSS Profile. This application determines your eligibility for need-based financial aid from DU. For students whose parents are divorced, separated, or were never married, a separate CSS Profile application may be required for the noncustodial parent.

2. **Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA)**

   Create a Federal Student Aid account at StudentAid.gov. Both students and parents should create their own account, which is needed to fill out the FAFSA. Submit the Free Application for Federal Student Aid (FAFSA) at StudentAid.gov/FAFSA.

   Our school code is 001371.

   This application determines your eligibility for federal and state financial aid. You may be asked to provide additional documentation as part of your application. We’ll send you an email if further information is needed to finalize your financial aid offer.

   Learn more about the financial aid application process at du.edu/financialaid/apply.

For more information, contact Financial Aid at finaid@du.edu or 303-871-4020 or go to du.edu/aid.

The average need-based aid offer for students in the 2022–2023 academic year was $47,844.

DU awards more than $192M in financial aid annually.
Enjoy an Around-the-Clock Academic Community

The University of Denver’s community is welcoming and vibrant. Its strong bonds and active lifestyle are integral to the University’s mission to guide students to leadership positions and success. Living on campus is an essential part of the University experience. Students are required to live on campus and purchase a meal plan for their first two years. Students age 21+ and/or whose parents/guardians live within a certain radius of campus may request to be released from this requirement.

Please visit du.edu/campus-housing for more information.

FIRST-YEAR RESIDENCE HALLS

DU provides first-year students with inviting living environments in Centennial Halls (commonly referred to as Halls), Johnson-McFarlane Hall (also known as JMAC) or Dimond Family Residential Village (or DFRV). All three buildings are on campus and near classrooms and important campus locations: JMAC is closer to most science and music classes, DFRV is next to the Community Commons and the center of campus, and Halls is closer to more arts and humanities classes as well as the Ritchie Center for Sports & Wellness.

SECOND-YEAR RESIDENCE HALLS

Second-year students typically live in Nagel Hall, Nelson Hall, Centennial Towers or fraternity and sorority houses, where students benefit from plenty of informal spaces for group activities—both planned and spontaneous—as well as quiet study centers.

INTENTIONAL COMMUNITY

The Transfer House is also available for students looking for a community intentionally set up for transfer students. Additionally, Recovery Housing (Mesa) is a supportive residential community available for students pursuing recovery for substance use.

CENTRALIZED DINING

DU has a centralized dining facility within the Community Commons for all students and DU community members to access. There are numerous stations to choose from, each offering a different type of cuisine (including options for those with vegetarian and vegan preferences as well as those with dietary restrictions). Students can also use their meal plan cash at convenience stores, coffee shops and other dining options on campus.

To explore your residence options, visit Housing and Residential Education online at du.edu/campus-housing. Click on “Apply for Housing” to complete your housing application. If you have questions, contact housing@du.edu or 303-871-2246.
ROOMMATE MATCHING
In matching roommates, DU reviews the information you supply on your housing application and seeks to pair you with a student who shares your living habits. Roommate assignments are based on several sets of similar characteristics as we try to identify the best matches.

LIVING & LEARNING COMMUNITIES (LLCs)
LLCs provide an opportunity for students with like-minded interests to build a community in their own residence hall and in the classroom. DU faculty and staff facilitate an experiential, academic two-credit course each quarter to engage students throughout their first year. For more information, visit du.edu/llcs.

PIONEER LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (PLP)
PLP is the University of Denver’s longstanding and premier leadership program for undergraduate students, resulting in an academic leadership studies minor to complement any major. One of the centerpieces of this program is a first-year living experience with students who share passions for improving the human condition. The leadership courses provide an experience-based and community-engaged approach to learning. These courses cover topics like inclusive leadership, social movements, community change and ethical leadership. PLP students have unique opportunities such as program retreats, community learning and field placements, presentations from local, national and global leaders/experts, and international travel courses. Additionally, students are eligible to apply for additional scholarships as well as funding for their own leadership development in their sophomore year and beyond.

Admitted students are encouraged to apply to PLP, regardless of high school or community leadership experience. We have a selective admission process for students who seek to learn about leadership and see the value of complementing their undergraduate degree with a leadership studies minor. Contact Ontario Duley, Program & Recruitment Coordinator, at Ontario.Duley@du.edu or go to du.edu/leader.

Deadlines for Applying to PLP
Priority Deadline: February 15
Final Deadline: April 5
Apply online at du.edu/leader.

MOVING IN
Check out our website at du.edu/move-in to find all of the information you need to prepare for your move to campus.

DU students engaged in 788,332 service hours last year.

100+ student organizations
18 NCAA D1 teams
30 club sports
20 intramurals
EXCELLING LEADERS INSTITUTE (ELI)
ELI is a leadership development program for students from various backgrounds, and offers a close-knit community, encourages open dialogue, and equips students with the tools to be effective leaders. For more information: du.edu/eli.

EQUITY IN SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY, ENGINEERING AND MATHEMATICS (E-STEM) PROGRAM
In connection with DU’s commitment to Inclusive Excellence and Diversity, the E-STEM Program supports students to successfully navigate their STEM career path at DU through impactful research opportunities, academic skill building, social and cultural support, meaningful mentorship and personal growth. For more information: Anthea.Johnson@du.edu, 303-871-2270 or du.edu/e-STEM.

1GENU
1GenU supports first-generation students in navigating campus resources, developing academic and social skills, and transitioning to college. For more information: du.edu/1genu.

LEARNING EFFECTIVENESS PROGRAM (LEP)
LEP supports neurodiverse learners through programs focused on relationships, knowledge and resources for the “skills of navigating change.” Students can apply by July 1 through an online application and learn more at du.edu/lep.

COLLEGIATE RECOVERY PROGRAM (CRP)
CRP offers a Center for Collegiate Recovery (CCR), on-campus recovery housing, alcohol and drug-free social events, study abroad, recovery courses, support meetings, peer mentoring and educational seminars and events. For more information about becoming a member of the Collegiate Recovery Program, email recovery@du.edu or visit du.edu/recovery.

COLORADO WOMEN’S COLLEGE LEADERSHIP SCHOLARS PROGRAM (CWC)
The CWC Leadership Scholars Program is a cohort program that provides community and mentorship opportunities that lead to a 24-credit Leadership minor: du.edu/hec-scholars.

LEADERSHIP AND SUCCESS COMMUNITIES
The University of Denver offers unique programs that bring students in community with each other for enhanced experiences.

UNIVERSITY HONORS PROGRAM
This community of scholars is brought together by their shared desire for academic challenge and the opportunity to engage in thought-provoking interdisciplinary work beyond their major studies. Our students fulfill many of their University requirements through the Honors Sequence, a series of small honors-only courses where they can get to know their professors and each other. Students also complete the distinction plan in their major, which includes a senior thesis or project.

As members of the Honors Program, students have special opportunities for research and collaboration with faculty, and they can get Special Honors Funding to support their academic projects. They may also participate in Extreme Academics, a program to help DU students develop skills to compete for placement in prestigious graduate programs and fellowships.

Whether living together on the Honors floor, participating in Honors-sponsored cultural and social events or joining our student-run clubs, Honors students gain a rich university experience amid the support of a stimulating and inclusive community.

Admission Process
Any student admitted to DU may apply to the Honors Program. Because space in the program is limited, applicants who are not accepted initially may be put on a waitlist. Current DU students and transfer students are welcome to apply each quarter. For more information and the application, visit du.edu/uhp.

Honors Residential Opportunity
First-year Honors students who want to share academic and social experiences beyond the classroom may choose to live together on the Honors Community Themed Floor. This provides a unique living environment for students of diverse majors and interests who make academic work a priority. Many Honors students opt to live on this floor, though Honors students are also welcome to join one of the University’s Living and Learning Communities or PLP. Please discuss housing options with the Honors Program coordinator.

81% of students complete at least one internship.

The new James C. Kennedy mountain campus offers students the opportunity to reflect, grow and build connections.
Additional Resources & Information

You can find a lot of additional information about financial aid and the University of Denver on our website and through the resources listed below, but please feel free to contact us at 303-871-2036 or admission@du.edu if you have any questions. We're here to help!

LEARN MORE ABOUT
Next Steps for Admitted Students:
du.edu/next-steps
DU Payment Options:
du.edu/bursar-payments
Campus Life:
du.edu/life-on-campus
Housing & Residential Education:
du.edu/campus-housing
Campus Dining:
du.edu/sodexo-dining
Health and Counseling:
du.edu/health-counseling
Campus Safety:
du.edu/safety
Academic Calendar:
du.edu/academic-calendar
New Student Advising and Registration:
du.edu/new
Student Disability Services:
du.edu/disability

More than 70% of DU undergraduate students study abroad.

The University of Denver is a top-tier, R1 research institute.

Anderson Academic Commons was ranked the #1 university library in the nation by the Princeton Review in 2022.
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ORIENTATION
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